



Amendment One to the Multiple Launch Rocket System Supplement to the Basic Memorandum of Understanding on a Cooperative Program for a Medium Multiple Launch Rocket System dated July 29, 1982 among the governments of the Federal Republic of Germany, the Republic of France, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United States of America and the Italian Republic.

The Minister of Defense of the French Republic, the Federal Ministry of Defence of the Federal Republic of Germany, the Ministry of Defense of the Italian Republic, the Secretary of State for Defence of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the Department of Defense of the United States of America,

hereinafter referred to as "the Participants"

desire to amend the Supplement to the Basic Memorandum of Understanding for a Cooperative Program for a Medium Launch Rocket System dated 29 July 1982 (Italian Supplement).

Paragraphs 14.1 and 15.2 of the Italian Supplement provide that the Supplement may be extended subject to the approval of all Participants;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Participants hereby approve an extension to the Italian Supplement by amending its provisions as follows:

**ARTICLE VIII (FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS)**

Delete "25 years" in Paragraph 8.3.7 and replace with "40 years",

**ARTICLE XIV (DURATION AND TERMINATION)**

Delete "25 years" in Paragraph 14.1 and replace with "40 years".

All other provisions of the Italian Supplement remain unchanged.

The Amendment One to the Italian Supplement will be effective upon signature by all Participants.

This amendment will be signed in 20 copies, five copies each in English, French, German and Italian languages, all texts to be equally valid.

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*PARIS 04.08.2002*

FOR THE MINISTER OF DEFENSE  
OF THE REPUBLIC OF FRANCE

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*KOBLENZ 10.07.2002*

FOR THE FEDERAL MINISTRY OF DEFENSE  
OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY

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*ROMA 07.8.2002*

FOR THE MINISTRY OF DEFENSE  
OF THE ITALIAN REPUBLIC

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*R. Wainwright*

*LONDON, 21 July 2002*

FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR DEFENCE  
OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN  
AND NORTHERN IRELAND

DATE

*A. V. G. G. G.*

*WASHINGTON, 8 NOVEMBER 2002*

FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OF  
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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